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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: CGEN (STEFURAK, EMILIA)
SUBJECT: JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE: WAR CRIMES INVESTIGATIONS

REFS: (A) STATE 152991; (B) FRANKFURT 5561

1. BY NOTE DATED JULY 6 THE EMBASSY PROVIDED THE FRG FOREIGN OFFICE WITH THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN REFTEL A CONCERNING STEFURAK, SEEKING ANY AVAILABLE INFORMATION FROM FRG SOURCES.
2. WHILE THE EMBASSY HAS NOT, AS YET, RECEIVED ANY SUBSTANTIVE REPLY TO ITS NOTE FROM THE FOREIGN OFFICE, THE EMBASSY WAS INFORMED BY THE FOREIGN OFFICE LEGAL SECTION (HARTMANN) THAT THE FOREIGN OFFICE HAD BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE INTERIOR MINISTRY CONCERNING THE US WISH TO INTERVIEW KLAUS PETER VOLKMANN, MENTIONED IN BOTH REFTELS, ABOUT INFORMATION HE MAY HAVE CONCERNING STEFURAK. HARTMANN STATED THAT IN PRINCIPLE THERE WOULD BE NO OBJECTIONS IF A CONSULAR OFFICIAL WERE TO INTERVIEW VOLKMANN IF HE AGREES VOLUNTARILY TO SUBMIT TO SUCH AN INTERVIEW.
3. IN LIGHT OF THE ABOVE, AND THE INSTRUCTIONS IN
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REFTEL A ORIGINALLY DIRECTED TO CONGEN FRANKFURT, CONGEN HAMBURG MAY WISH TO SEEK A VOLUNTARY INTERVIEW WITH VOLKMANN AND REPORT ON IT TO THE DEPARTMENT.
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